

For 24 hours ending 5 p.m. Friday:  
Victoria and vicinity: Moderate to  
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## WHERE TO GO TO-NIGHT

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Variety—Laughing at Father's Matches.  
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Romano—Cinema Murder.

## United Kingdom Is Facing Most Ominous Industrial Crisis

Rejection of Compromise By Coal Miners Points to Paralyzing Labor Upheaval Unless Government or Mine Owners Concede Demands.

London, Oct. 14.—The United Kingdom to-day was faced with perhaps the most ominous industrial crisis in its history, due to the decision of the coal miners to allow the strike notices to become effective Saturday night following their rejection of the compromise offered to their demand for a two shilling per shift increase in wages.

It seemed certain that unless the Government or the mine owners conceded the demands of the men or made fresh and attractive offers, more than eight hundred thousand miners would not return to the pits Monday, thereby throwing hundreds of thousands of workers in other industries out of work and paralyzing the industrial life of the country.

Official returns from the miners' ballot concerned the datum-line proposal of the owners showed an overwhelming majority in favor of rejection. At this morning's conference of the miners' delegates, who met to consider the deadlock, a small majority held out for submission of the claims of the men to arbitration, but this was brushed aside. It was stated that the miners' executive expected to be summoned to the Board of Trade this afternoon, but whether this would occur, or if so what it presaged, was a matter of speculation.

Preparations to Close Works.  
No sooner had news of the decision of the miners been received in the Cleveland steel district in Yorkshire, than the iron and steel manufacturers there began preparations for closing the works. It is expected that if the strike comes most of the blast and steel furnaces will become idle immediately.

The Government, while saying little for weeks has been actively preparing to handle the situation in the event of the strike being called. The miners' conference adjourned at mid-afternoon without receiving any communication from the Government.

The delegates will meet again tomorrow to make final arrangements for the strike.  
The Triple Alliance, the railwaymen, transport workers and miners, probably will meet immediately after the strike is called. It is expected that the Triple Alliance, or some other trade union will make efforts to set up mediation machinery.

The action of the miners came as a great surprise as it was generally anticipated that they would again suspend the strike notices.

Notices To Expire.  
London, Oct. 14.—The coal miners' delegates at a meeting held this morning in connection with the crisis resulting from the miners' rejection of the owners' wage proposals decided that the notices of a strike given some time ago should expire the coming Saturday. This means that the great coal-mining strike which has been feared will begin next Monday unless there is some new intervention to prevent it.

Ballot Figures.  
The official figures of the ballot taken by the miners to decide upon acceptance or rejection of the basic lines of production offered by the owners beyond which an increase of wages would be granted, was given out to-day as follows: for acceptance, 131,425; against acceptance, 635,095. This makes a majority against acceptance of 453,670.

To-day's meeting was presided over by Robert Smillie. A statement was issued announcing the decision of the Executive Committee that by virtue of balloting, the notices be allowed to expire Saturday. It was then decided to send the result of the ballot and the Executive Committee's decision to Premier Lloyd George.

DANGER IS SEEN IN SEDITION MOVEMENT

Lanark Citizens Urge Government Action to Stop Sinn Fein Meetings

Ferth, Ont., Oct. 14.—At a representative meeting of citizens of the county of Lanark, held in Carleton Place Tuesday the following resolution was unanimously passed:

"As the leaders of the Sinn Fein declare that they are at war with Britain, and whereas Sinn Feiners in Canada under the name of the Self-Determination League are giving aid and comfort to those who are attempting to destroy the British Empire, we, the loyal citizens of Lanark, now call upon the Government of Canada to take the necessary action to prevent such an outrage as the proposed convention of Sinn Feiners in the Capital of our Dominion. Our firm convictions that unless the seditious movement is stopped at once outrages and assassinations similar to those in Ireland will surely follow here."

The Ottawa Police Commission decided Wednesday afternoon that it had no authority to prevent the meeting of the Self-Determination League of Ireland, which takes place here Saturday.

## LAST SURVIVAL OF PATRONAGE EVIL

Argued by Canadian Council of Agriculture Concerning Protective Tariff

Final Plea For Reduction Made Before Commission Sitting at Winnipeg

Winnipeg, Oct. 14.—(Canadian Press)—Arguing that the present protective tariff is the last survival of the patronage evil in Canada, N. P. Lambert, secretary of the Canadian Council of Agriculture, to-day presented a final plea for its reduction and fundamental changes to the Tariff Commission sitting in the City Hall.

Ho suggested on behalf of his organization that revenue which would be lost by the reduction of the tariff could be partially replaced by improvements in the administration of the income tax. Inconsistencies and misrepresentations in the statements of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association and the selfish and arrogant attitude of the individual manufacturers were strongly attacked by Mr. Lambert in his statement.

Provincial legislation such as the Factories Act and the Engineers' Act were said to impose burdens on the manufacturers which the farmers were allowed to escape, by T. R. Deacon, president of three Manitoba Steel Corporations, who appeared before the Commission and presented arguments in support of the reduction of the tariff.

Premier T. C. Norris read resolutions passed by the Manitoba Legislature at the afternoon session of the Tariff Commission. These supported the attitude of the farmers in making tariff reduction.

The following statement was submitted by Mr. Lambert:

"The Government Tariff Commission sat in Winnipeg on September 14, on its way to the Pacific Coast, the opportunity of filing with the Commission a memorandum setting forth the views of the Canadian Council of Agriculture, as expressed in their national platform. That memorandum was submitted to the Commission on the day of its opening, and has been presented to the Commission by the farmers themselves at least five times in the three previous days."

Now on the eve of the Commission's departure from Winnipeg, the farmers have clarified still further so far as the organized farmers are concerned, the plea for a reduction of the tariff. The main reason assigned by the newspapers for the increase is that the Government which maintained subsidies bought wheat when the prices were high, but does not wish to bear the loss on the market which has fallen. The question has been much agitated by the press and some of the newspapers are making a campaign against an increase, citing the lowered food prices in the United States.

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## Ratification of Labor Conventions Is Object of Tour

Geneva, Oct. 14.—Albert Thomas, director-general of the International Labor Board, has left for Paris, and thence will go to Berlin, Warsaw and Prague, where he will get in touch with the workers and employers' organizations. He also will confer with the German, Polish and Czechoslovak Governments concerning the ratification and application of the conventions adopted at the International Labor Conference held some time ago in Washington.

## Unsecured Creditors of Dominion Trust to Get Small Dividend

Vancouver, Oct. 14.—J. C. Gwynn, liquidator of the Dominion Trust Company, has received an order from Mr. Justice Murphy authorizing him to pay a dividend of ten cents on the dollar upon the claims of unsecured creditors which have so far been allowed by the court and to set aside \$50,000 for a like dividend on the claims of unsecured creditors not yet allowed by the court, but to be adjudicated upon in the near future.

Secured creditors have already been paid over \$25,000, and the amounts of claims as adjudicated upon and allowed by the court on which the dividend will now be paid is \$2,358,774, the unsecured claims still to be adjudicated upon total \$467,748 and will likely be reduced by court decisions.

Payment By Cheque.

Payments of dividends will be by cheque and as there are about 1,000 of them to be made, the first week in November before any of them can be mailed. The liquidator pointed out yesterday that any persons entitled to a dividend at the present time who has changed his or her address in the past few weeks or months would do well to inform him of it. This constitutes the first dividend to unsecured creditors.

In the report filed by the liquidator with the court showing the receipts and disbursements since Mr. Gwynn accepted the duties of liquidator, it can be seen that the earnings of the estate have been almost equal to the costs of liquidation and administration.

The present dividend was only made possible by a special act of the Federal Parliament at its last session obtained upon the solicitation of the liquidator.

The report as filed with the court shows that a total of \$306,078.15 has been collected on account of the general assets of the company, and \$48,954.49 on trust account, which includes collections for secured creditors. Total disbursements in the process of liquidation since Mr. Gwynn assumed the duties of his office are \$142,835, including a sum of \$85,963 paid to the Dominion Trust Company, Ltd., by order of the court. Salaries, rent, office expenses, law costs and incidental charges for the same period amounted to \$48,823, which is about equalled by the earnings of the estate, totalling \$46,844.26 including accrued interest on cash or other assets.

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## PLOT TO ESTABLISH SOVIET REGIME IN CHINA IS REPORTED

Honolulu, Oct. 14.—Radicals have taken advantage of famine conditions in China and are plotting to establish Soviet government there, according to a Chinese official, according to Peking dispatches quoted in a Tokyo cable to The Nippon Jiji, Japanese language newspaper here. The Japanese Government has called a Council of State to discuss measures to combat propaganda in Korea.

Violation of Income Tax Act in Winnipeg

Winnipeg, Oct. 14.—Information against sixty Winnipeggers charging violations of the income tax act will be laid in police court in the next three weeks, according to Federal tax officials here.

On Friday six well-known business men were charged with violation of the act. Three are charged with evading payment on their 1917 and 1918 incomes, and the others for non-payment on their 1917 incomes.

Condition of King Alexander Unchanged

Athens, Oct. 14.—Physicians attending King Alexander, who is dangerously ill as a result of infection arising from a bite of a monkey, reported to-day the patient's condition was unchanged but that the outlook seemed better.

Bank Clearings

Vancouver, Oct. 14.—Bank clearings are announced as follows: Vancouver, \$16,654,255; New Westminster, \$764,655.

Another Raid

Dublin, Oct. 14.—Another extensive military raid took place at Drumcondra, Tuesday evening. Many persons left their homes fearing reprisals after Tuesday's shooting at the military barracks. A large number of soldiers with two lorries and an armored car attempted to raid a building containing a tailoring store on Talbot Street, this afternoon. Other deaths are expected.

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Armored Car Attacked

Dublin, Oct. 14.—Civilians attacked an armored car here to-day. During the fighting a soldier was wounded and a civilian is reported to have been killed.

Boy Killed

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## KLagenfurt Region VOTES TO REMAIN PART OF AUSTRIA

Klagenfurt, Lower Austria, Oct. 14.—Official announcement is made that the plebiscite on the question whether this region should continue a part of Austria or to be given to Jugoslavia, was favorable to Austria.

Paris, Oct. 14.—Canvass of more than 26,000 votes cast in the plebiscite held on Saturday last at Klagenfurt for the purpose of determining whether that district would remain a part of Austria or be given to Jugoslavia, shows a good working majority in favor of Austria, says a Havas dispatch. The count at the time of filing the dispatch was for Austria, 11,852; for Jugoslavia, 15,094.

## MEMBERS OF SOUL AND SPIRIT WANTED

Veterans Broaden Membership; Limit Associates to a Percentage

Members of soul and spirit, who will become imbued with the traditions of the organization and the glory of the great units with which they are associated, are what the Army and Navy Veterans in Canada are seeking, delegates at the Dominion convention here declared to-day.

Membership Broadened.  
Qualifications for membership were cut down so that any man who has served three years in the home militia will be eligible. Militia service heretofore has been six years. Men who served for one year or active home service during the war were also made eligible.

Comrade Monaghan said there are a lot of men who enlist in the militia and then get tired and there is no use "clogging up the Veterans' Association with a lot of water timber." He declared Pioneers and humble men were often of as much value as generals, as some generals are "only pink toe drinkers."

Want Souls and Spirit.

"It's his soul, his enthusiasm, his spirit that we want, although some of the old members may have said the truth about the Ross rifle, the crime of crimes against the Canadian soldiers, might seem out, and they gave \$2,000,000 as hush money. I demand an investigation into the Ross rifle. Let them put me in the box and let anything they like with me, but let the people not think that they can do anything to hush this thing up."

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Schools To Be Closed

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## Government Action Now Predicted To Vary Sugar Order

Board of Commerce Finding Severely Criticized; "No Doubt That Order Is Unpopular," Cabinet Minister Declares; Caustic Press Comment.

Ottawa, Oct. 14.—(Canadian Press)—The special meeting of the Cabinet Council sat till 1.30 this afternoon, but a final decision was not reached as to what action, if any, will be taken by the Government in regard to sugar order issued by the Board of Commerce. The Cabinet meets again to-morrow morning.

Authorities, it is understood, are being consulted as to the legal situation involved.

Ottawa, Oct. 14.—(Canadian Press)—There is a belief in well-informed circles that the Government is likely to exercise its authority under the Board of Commerce Act and intervene to vary the sugar order issued by the Board last night. Not in recent years, probably, has any order aroused so much adverse comment. The flood of communications has already begun. "There is no doubt," remarked one member of the Cabinet to-day, "that the order is unpopular."

Emerges From France.

Winnipeg, Oct. 14.—The Free Press in an editorial condemning the application of the dumping provisions of the customs act to sugar importations, adds a postscript denouncing the order of the Board of Commerce. It says that the Board has come out of a deathlike trance to intervene to protect the refiners against the necessity of meeting the market price, and adds that its action is one more illustration of the fixed policy that has been adopted to put private and corporate interests above those of the public, of which the recent decision of the Railway Board was also a striking example.

Demands Probe of Ross Rifle Scandal

Canon Scott, at Calgary, Declares Government Feared Disclosures

Calgary, Oct. 14.—"When Sir Charles Ross brought action against the Canadian Government for \$15,000,000, the Government did not dare to allow it to go to court, because they feared that the truth about the Ross rifle, the crime of crimes against the Canadian soldiers, might come out, and they gave \$2,000,000 as hush money. I demand an investigation into the Ross rifle. Let them put me in the box and let anything they like with me, but let the people not think that they can do anything to hush this thing up."

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Red Troops Driven Beyond Line Defined By Armistice Terms

Warsaw, Oct. 14.—An official communication reports the Poles fighting with Reds in the region of Koidanoff, southwest of Minsk. The Poles have captured more than 700 Reds, driving three Red divisions beyond the line defined by the terms of the armistice.

Rise Is Predicted in Price of Wheat

Washington, Oct. 14.—Wheat prices are certain to go up, the American Farm Bureau Federation asserted in a statement last night, because there is a world shortage and the United States is "overseeded." The recent drop in prices, the statement said, was due to "bear propaganda by traders who sold heavily in foreign markets several months ago and are endeavoring to fill those orders at a low figure."

Saved From Gallows.

Washington, Oct. 14.—President Wilson to-day saved from the gallows Josephine Berry, a young negro, under sentence to be hanged here to-morrow for the murder of another negro woman. Her sentence was commuted to life imprisonment.

No woman has been hanged in the district of Columbia since the execution of Mrs. Surratt in connection with the Lincoln assassination.







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## LETTERS

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## "ALCOHOL AND OUR CHILDREN."

To the Editor:—In Wednesday evening's Times Dr. Ernest Hall has a letter on the above subject which he, as a physician, should have been ashamed to publish. He says that the delicate nervous structure of the child is affected by a nursing mother drinking wine, stout, or "fortifying tonics." Now, he should know that very little of anything taken by the mother ever affects the child at all. He is harping back to the old days when it was supposed if you ate green vegetables you gave the baby colic. Poppycock! The child's colic came very much more often from the nervousness of the mother and from a too-quick flow of milk. The modern mother eats what she likes, even pickles, and the milk is not soured. But some timid, nervous creature may be inclined to believe the doctor. Now, another thing: the basis of all medicine for dysentery, cholera and colic is burned brandy. Of course, Dr. Hall would ban extract of wild strawberry and similar medicines and not even leave us essence of ginger. When he talks about the effect alcohol has upon the individual I want him to take a look at the 1914 generation of Englishmen, Scotchmen and Irishmen. The Old Country gentleman is a man used to his glass and his toddy, and that he is degenerating in any way I challenge Dr. Hall to prove. The war proved he was as virile and capable as ever. As for endurance, there was never any doubt that when it came to holding on and refusing to be beaten by fire, flood, cold or slush, and still refusing to believe he might be beaten, the Britisher was ahead of any troops sent to the front.

Why, even the Frenchman, who was supposed to be so decadent on account of absinthe, did not succumb to a "diseased-baby," and they, too, are a nervous type. Alcohol in moderation is bad for neither man nor woman. It is only in the abuse of it that it becomes a detriment to the human body.

GEORGINA SEYMOUR KENT.

## ALCOHOL AND BUSINESS.

To the Editor:—It is not good business to throw away good money for that which lessens efficiency, exposes to accident and disease, and reduces life expectancy. This is what scientists, life insurance companies and commissions have told us, and continue to tell us that the virility of a nation cannot be built upon alcohol. What of the conditions to the South of us? Can the one and one-

half billion dollars of the two billion dollars per year that were being emptied into the booze swamp, and breeding crime, misery, poverty, disease and death, be diverted into wholesome channels without enriching every legitimate business?

It is but good business, for our business men to oppose the passing of money into the liquor vendor's hands, for every dollar that passed through that portal has missed its opportunity of passing over the counter.

When a purchaser makes a demand for a loaf of bread or a piano, he calls upon labor to produce out of raw material certain articles of value. He calls for the production of wealth. Every such demand doubles the wealth in the country to the extent of the purchase; the capital remains permanent, but the demand has called into being its equivalent in value of product. This produce is only of value if it contributes to the well-being of the purchaser.

In the purchase of liquor, the money changes hands, the wealth of the country is not increased; on the other hand it is potentially decreased for in the consuming of the liquor, the purchaser is neither a healthier man, nor a better citizen. He is neither nourished, nor even healthily entertained.

What has been the effect upon the finances of the United States as a result of their prohibitory activities? Let the Moderation League note the moderate increase of savings bank deposits. In Minneapolis, the deposits doubled within the year. In Denver they increased \$14,524,484 during the city's first dry year. The Seattle banks clearing of 1917, its first dry year were \$361,191,251 in excess of 1916.

America's greatest banker and financier stated, "We have amended our constitution, and provided the greatest single economic factor looking towards material prosperity ever created by legislative enactment."

Would it not be good business to direct the cash now flowing across our frontiers for booze, into home product channels? Think over these things, you business men.

ERNEST A. HALL.

## CHURCH POSTERS.

To the Editor:—As you have opened your paper for an expression of opinion on the question of Prohibition versus Government Control, I would esteem the same courtesy to myself, and I would do so in replying to Mr. Hastings and his comment on the posters on the church buggies and emotions. Mr. Hastings will find my name and address at the bottom of this article, and I would have expressed myself better to him or others of the Liberty League. In a matter of debate on this question, on any public platform they wish or desire. I am not afraid to say I was the one who put the posters up, and I am pleased to help in the cause we represent. In this manner, knowing full well they are facts which can't be gainsaid.

As a Britisher, I believe in fair

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play. As a citizen, of fifteen years, I feel called to share, of fifteen years, of my own experience, with you, and as a layman of the Methodist Church, I stand to hit hard anything that comes in any way to interfere with the welfare of the home. I maintain that we, as churches, would be mighty poor stuff to let a moral question such as, is before us, pass by without doing all that is within our power to bring light upon it and help people to decide right. I am a life-long temperance advocate. Precept, practice and experience in our own families, prove to us that the liquor interests do not care who it destroys, or where they live. As a labor man with socialistic ideals, I can only say that the traffic liquor has been one of the chief agencies to hinder progress. I am sure no man can be called a true man in the full sense of the word who, seeing his brother in need and fails to go to his assistance, whatever that channel may be. As a worker amongst young men, I am against moderation, because a moderate drinker is not a safe example to follow. As a citizen, I am out for those things which will help us most to help ourselves and character. I wonder if those who advocate their liberty to go into the "bars" in our city (and in ways such as "The Lounge" says, break the law) ever realize the contempt for law, they are putting before the growing children in our midst. Who is to blame for these things? Why, every man not only breaks the law in getting the stuff or serving it, but all know it is wrong and are allowing it to continue. We have allowed the liquor interests too much liberty in the past to the sorrow of many and ruin of many homes, which were once happy.

I wish to put the following questions to the writers and workers for moderation or Government control:

1. What good has ever come to a people or country who fostered the liquor business?
2. Can they point out anything they (liquor traffic) ever did that helped make us a better people?
3. Can they point out where the liquor interests brought about better social conditions—morally and politically?
4. What attitude would Mr. Hastings expect a Christian to take on this matter?
5. Did the booze business ever help the dinner pail? Did it help us to have better homes?
6. Mr. Hastings suggests it is not a question of appealing to the emotions. Well, if he calls it emotional to ask men and women to think and act for the measure which will be best for the children, then give us more emotional facts.

As a reminder, sir, we the Prohibitionists, are not to blame for the law being evaded, but the powers that be, are, for not carrying out those things which they have sworn to.

In conclusion, who suffers most? Is it not the victim who falls under the business? I say to all voters on this question, look at the past history of the business, ask the traffic to show its samples and you will come to this conclusion: you might as well try to stop water from running down hill than to suppose we can control liquor, once it is manufactured.

C. HADLAND.

2583 Prior St., Victoria, Oct. 11.

## PROHIBITION.

To the Editor:—I wonder if there are not those who would like to see more of the pros in that much belabored question, Prohibition. Here are the views of a few of those, not among the addicts, who are therefore the better able to judge. The late Sir Andrew Clark, physician to Queen Victoria, emphatically said: "Alcohol is a poison; so is strychnine; so is arsenic; so is opium; it ranks with these agents. Health is always in some way or other injured by it." Von Moitke, the German general: "Beer is a far more dangerous enemy to the Germans than the armies of France."

Sir Victor Horsley: "Quite small doses are often responsible for the commission of actions which are so far-reaching in their effects as to mar the moral and physical trend of many lives."

Sir Garrett Barnes, President of the Divorce Court, London, asserted in 1906: "I am firmly convinced that if drink were eradicated, this court might shut its doors at least for a greater part of the time."

Count von Haeseler, late Commander 15th Army Corps of Germany, says: "The soldier who abstains altogether is the best man."

Sir John Ross, Arctic explorer, wrote nearly a century ago: "I was twenty years older than any of my officers or crew, yet I could stand the cold better than any of them, who all made use of spirits."

Dr. Clement Dukes, Physician to Rugby School: "The man of a school, or parent who allows the use of beer practically says to the child who drinks it: 'I give you this beer well knowing that it will blunt your intellect, destroy your conscience, diminish your will-power; at the same time it will excite your animal instincts.'"

Sir Henry Thompson, quotes experiments (tried on himself) to his own dissatisfaction, where wine

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Warsaw, Oct. 14.—Vilna and its suburbs are without foodstuffs of any kind, according to reports received from there yesterday. All provisions were consumed during the city's occupation by the Bolsheviks and the Lithuanians, the reports say.

General Zeligowski's central Lithuanian troops have clashed with Lithuanian forces who attempted a concentration in the Vilna region, according to dispatches from Grodno.

The Bolsheviks are reported to be in co-operation with the Lithuanians.

## GUN FOR COBBLE HILL.

Cobble Hill, Oct. 14.—At the fortnightly meeting of the Ancient Order of Foresters held Tuesday, the members were gratified to learn that their efforts to obtain a German gun for a trophy, and memorial to the sol-

diers of the Cobble Hill district, who had fallen during the Great War had been successful.

A communication from the department at Ottawa, was read to the effect that a German machine gun had been forwarded to Cobble Hill, as a memorial to the soldiers of Cobble Hill district, who had fallen during the Great War.

A committee was formed to receive the gun.

At the next meeting a committee will be formed to decide on the best place to keep the trophy.

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## **THE SUGAR ORDER.**

If the sugar order issued by the Board of Commerce means anything at all it means that the refineries of this country are to be protected by the establishment of a minimum figure at which they may dispose of their surplus stocks without loss, and that the consumer is to be called upon to forego a natural and overdue reduction in cost in order that the Board's proposal shall work out successfully. In other words the Canadian people are told in effect that the Board of Commerce—unable to protect the consumer on a rising market—intends to prove the efficacy of its powers in sustaining the profits of the producer on a falling market. It would be an excellent thing for the refineries if it could be carried out; but it is a precedent which the Dominion Government cannot afford to permit to exist very long.

It never was supposed for one moment, of course, that the Board ever would be of any real value to the consumer; but it was not anticipated by the most case-hardened pessimist that it would attempt such an extraordinary thing as its sugar order. Indeed we are constrained to inquire whether it really believes that a price-smothered people is going to tolerate the creation of any new orders which seek to perpetuate the price lists of war time. Is the Board, for example, arranging for a series of orders affecting the whole catalogue of essential commodities in which privileged interests have waxed wealthy during the years of the war at the expense of the consumer? This is the principle involved in its sugar order; for it must be expected that once the price-reduction tendency sets in it will be a general one. Does it suppose that the people of this country are unaware that large stocks of sugar are available, and is it reasonable to expect that the refineries will be encouraged in retaining an artificial and arbitrary market which they fashioned themselves when they bargained upon a longer life for the price ramp? It is not likely.

The Canadian people have endured high prices with remarkable patience; but no reasonable minded person expects that the indulgence of the consumer can be exploited indefinitely. On that account the latest effort of the Board of Commerce should be emblazoned and included in the historical records of the nation as the accomplishment of a department of the Public Service which set out to serve two masters and died in the attempt. In the meantime it should be realized that this country is not in a mood for such comical performances as that suggested by the mental gymnastics which were necessary to evolve such a crazy order.

## **ELECTION REASONS.**

Our morning contemporary already has advised the Oliver Government against the holding of an election this year by advancing the specious argument that it has not yet done anything of importance and therefore is without a reasonable issue upon which to appeal to the electorate. And in conveniently disregarding the fact that a Government which had failed to accomplish anything should be ejected without ceremony it contrives to discover some reason whereby an election might be held this year without detracting from the value of the advice already tendered. It is argued, therefore, that the result of the prohibition plebiscite might produce a sufficiently lively topic upon which the voice of the people could be heard to advantage and a mandate given in respect of the enforcement of prohibition or the sort of control that might be ne-

cessary in the event of the decision of the electorate going that way. We venture to suggest, however, that the question of a "wet" or "dry" Province is not a matter of political opinion in any way whatever and no attempt should be made to confuse the two by a joint appeal or to marry the fortunes of this Government to the decision of next Wednesday's vote. Nor is there any force to an argument which suggests that the majority voice upon the plebiscite might be made the pretext for an election. If the Oliver Government appeals to the country this year—and there is no reason why it should not—it will be following a recognized procedure; and if there are subjects obtruded during such an election campaign which concern the future administration of the liquor traffic—restricted or controlled—they will be matters on which the people have a right to be heard, and how better than by open discussion with those who aspire to represent them in Parliament.

## **WILL THEY STRIKE?**

Unless intervention is able to prevent it the coal mining industry of Great Britain will be at a standstill next Monday because the men refuse to agree to the Government's proposal of a datum line for production as the quid pro quo for an increase of two shillings per shift. It was anticipated, however, that an adverse ballot would be followed by a decision on the part of the men to transfer the whole issue involved to an independent tribunal for settlement. This morning's conference of the delegates and Federation officials disposed of any hope of solution in this direction and the majority agreed that the strike notices should become effective on Saturday evening next.

Notwithstanding the serious outlook of the moment there are two important factors which may have the effect of persuading the men from a general walk out. In the first place Robert Smillie has changed his tune very considerably and agrees with other prominent Trades Union leaders that a strike at this time would be certain suicide for the cause of British Labor. In the second place a strike in the coal mining industry, to be successful without completely ruining the Miners' Federation must have the active support by way of sympathetic cessation of work by the railwaymen and transport workers. And if there is one thing vital to the continuance in public life and essential to the personal ambition of Mr. Smillie it is the preservation of the Federation machinery in that state of efficiency with which his own undoubted genius has been able to endow it.

In the meantime the public will pin its faith to the moderate wing of the triple alliance to avert an industrial calamity and rely upon the Government to afford every facility for mediation.

## **TRIBUTE TO PROVINCE.**

When the visiting delegates to the Army and Navy Veterans' convention return to their respective Provinces they will be able to take away with them some idea of what the Government of this Province has been able to accomplish in behalf of the ex-service man. And although one of the officials of the local branch of the organization avoided anything in the nature of a flowery tribute he took occasion to detail the extent to which the Provincial Government had gone in accepting a responsibility which rightly belonged to the Dominion authorities. The convention was informed of the excellent work performed by the Department of Industries—a Government organization which came into being in order that machinery might be provided to take care of those men who were desirous of following an industrial rather than an agricultural pursuit—still the pioneer of its kind in Canada, as well as the success which had attended the policy of soldier settlement on community lines, while the value of the co-operative work carried on by the Provincial Returned Soldiers' Commission also was included in the eulogistic reference to the Provincial Government's activities for the benefit

of the returned man. It is to be hoped—in the absence of an adequate re-establishment programme sponsored by the Federal Government—that the pattern set by the Oliver Administration will assist the visiting delegates in their appeals to other Provincial Governments to follow suit.

## **NOTE AND COMMENT**

Although he expresses his opinion upon the League of Nations in language replete with all the verbal gymnastics of his type the Italian Foreign Minister declares that its task will be a difficult one. It is nice to know that in this advanced age there are those who still lay claim to an abundant stock of originality.

According to advices reaching the State Department at Washington Soviet assistance and sympathy have been given to the Turkish Nationalists in support of their campaign against the Armenians. Thus must the United States look on helplessly while the people of that unhappy land struggle for an existence for the betterment of which the great Republic was invited to accept the Armenian mandate.

The French Government has taken the necessary formal steps to ascertain whether the projected visit of King George to France could be arranged to take place at an early date. Undoubtedly there is a general feeling that the Entente is in need of a little renovation; but the world must be bankrupt in statesmanship when a reigning monarch is asked to pay an official visit to a republic to re-polish international relations.

## **WHERE IT STARTED**

INK.  
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The use of ink for writing dates back more than 4000 years. Papyrus of that period have been found to be written in fluid—very black, lamp black, and other pigments were used; sometimes the dyes of iron treated with acid made ink for the ancients. Cleopatra and Ptolemy used the use of the secretion of the cuttlefish for writing fluid; while gold and silver in liquid form a favorite with the older Monkish writers.

## **WHY**

DO BRIDES WEAR VEILS?

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Marriage, probably more than any other ceremony of the church or civil life, is filled with customs which date back to ancient days. The wearing of the engagement and wedding rings to the bride and groom was supposed to be most closely connected with the heart; the bride-cake, which goes back to the Roman custom of baking a wheat or barley loaf to signify the union of man and wife; the use of orange-blossoms, the Sarcenic symbol of fecundity; and the throwing of old shoes, referred to in the Biblical books of Ruth and Deuteronomy, are only a few of the centuries-old practices still followed at the time of a wedding. But of all these, the wearing of the bride veil is the most peculiar, originating as it did in the Anglo-Saxon practice of performing the nuptial ceremony under a square piece of cloth, held by each corner over the bride and groom in order to conceal the bride from the guests. The lifting or dropping of the veil as soon as the wedding ceremony has been concluded is emblematic of the fact that, when married, the bride may expose her face freely to the world.

## **GOVERNMENT ACTION NOW PREDICTED TO VARY SUGAR ORDER**

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**Strangle Hold.**  
Saskatoon, Oct. 14.—In the public interest, the Board of Commerce has given the sugar refiners a strangle hold on the public, says The Saskatoon Daily Star. It comments unfavorably on the contract between the treatment accorded the sugar refiners, and that given the farmers in their plea for re-establishment of the Wheat Board.

**Higher Authority.**  
Vancouver, Oct. 14.—The Province says: "The Board of Commerce has large powers, but there is a higher authority able to set aside this order. No explanation has been given to justify the practical prohibition of imports, the limitation of domestic traffic to certain channels, and the imposition upon consumers of a price much higher than the cost of imported sugar brought in against a tariff and adverse exchange."

The Sun this morning says: "If there has been a question in the minds of some people as to whether the Meighen administration is trying to serve the best interests of our eight million population, or is subservient to a group of money-mad profiteers, that question has now received its answer. By its action, the Government has shown how little perception it has of the state of public feeling. If it imagines that a deal of this flagrant character can be perpetrated without the mass of the people of Canada without arousing a storm of indignation it is due for a rude awakening." Vancouver World:

accumulation of stocks was forced, on the refineries by the demands of the Board of Commerce, but that the losses which they would be confronted with, falling the order, would result in a net adverse balance over the whole period from the time when the control was first instituted until the supplies in hand were disposed of. "It is at least doubtful that anything of the kind can be demonstrated and while, if it could, we think the Canadian people would be justified in overlooking the natural feeling of irritation evoked by the prospect of a continued high sugar price for another three months, in the alternative we doubt if even such an autocratic body as the Board of Commerce will be able to maintain its fiat in the face of the general indignation that will very properly prevail."

**Refuse to Obey.**  
Halifax, Oct. 14.—At a meeting today of the Halifax members of the Wholesale Grocers' Association, Nova Scotia, it was decided to refuse to obey the order of the Board of Commerce, fixing the price of sugar in Canada.

**Refiners' Appeal.**  
St. John, N.B., Oct. 13.—It is the opinion of those engaged in the sugar industry here that the Government action in prohibiting the importation of refined sugar until the end of the year and the fixing of a price will contribute greatly to the relief of a serious situation, in which some of the wholesalers were able to undersell the refiners. It is not known how long the Atlantic Sugar Refineries here will be idle, but operations will be resumed as soon as the market conditions warrant. Most of the six hundred employees expected to be idle about a month.

## **LIBERAL POLICY IS CLEARLY DEFINED**

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No one knows better than Mr. Meighen himself the reason why a tariff on trade goods is a contradiction in terms. Free trade means the elimination of all tariffs. This is the policy of the Liberal Government. The tariff is not as between protection and free trade, but between a tariff which is framed as to serve the interests of specially favored and privileged groups and a tariff which will protect producers and consumers against the unfair exactions of combinations of this kind.

We need not go further than the question of sugar to illustrate the difference between the two. "Under the protectionist policy of Mr. Meighen, sugar that sells at a lower figure in the United States than in Canada must not be permitted to come in at the lower figure, but the tariff is maintained as a perchance the privileged position in which a small group of sugar refiners in Canada find themselves as a consequence of existing scarcity should be threatened in any particular. The tariff, in other words, is looked upon as an instrument of protection to the sugar monopoly regardless altogether of its effect upon the great body of consumers in Canada, every one of whom finds sugar in greater or less degree a commodity coming within the classification of the necessities of life.

The Liberal policy of a downward revision of the tariff in the interests of producers and consumers would give to the people of Canada relief from undue taxation upon sugar where prices are what they are today. It would seek to make sugar available to every consumer at as favorable terms as possible, realizing that it is not only a necessary article of daily consumption, but necessary also for purposes of preserving fruits and other articles for winter and subsequent use. A tariff can be made help keep up the high cost of living or it can be made to help reduce it."

Kamloops being a railway centre, Mr. King devoted a considerable part of his speech to the problems confronting the country from the taking over of two great railway systems by the Government and by the increased costs of commodities that he stated were certain to follow from the recent increase in railway freight rates.

"There is little difference between an increased railway rate and an increase of customs duty," said Mr. King. "The only other speaker of the meeting was E. A. Lapointe, M. P. for Quebec East, while on the platform with Mr. King were Senator Bostock, William Duff, M. P. for Lunenburg, M. A. Macdonald and F. A. Anderson, members of the B. C. Legislature."

## **MEMBERS OF SOUL AND SPIRIT WANTED**

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**Against Conscription.**  
Yesterday afternoon the convention placed itself on record as being opposed at the present time to compulsory military service in Canada, and in support of the Government's policy of building and encouraging the militia system of Canada, essential to the development of responsible nationhood.

Comrade Forrester of Toronto, said that the only thing now being done on the Government's part to build and encourage the militia system of Canada, was the calling of returned men to take the lead in the militia as it was upon the militia that the Canadian Expeditionary Force was built.

**Ask Pension Adjustment.**  
Increase in the pensions of pre-war Imperial pensioners resident in Canada who enlisted with the C.E.F. in proportion to the increases given to those who re-enlisted in the Imperial forces, was demanded.

**Soldier Colony and Homes.**  
Other resolutions passed urged: 1. Establishment of a colony near Kamloops for ex-soldiers who are tubercular. 2. Provision by the Dominion of a home in each Province for aged and infirm veterans of all wars. The Provincial Government to be asked to allocate money for the maintenance of such homes, which should be made mostly self-supporting as regards food-stuffs. Comrade Baldoock said the homes should be like those of the United States veterans, where they spend their pensions as they see fit, and are the happiest lot of old men he had ever met.

**Want Mortgage Aid.**  
3. Assistance from the Government for men who went overseas and had big mortgages on their homes and are now in danger of losing their homes when the War Relief Act is lifted. It was urged that the Government should take these mortgages by payment off and replacing them by fresh mortgages at a rate not more than 4 per cent. interest.

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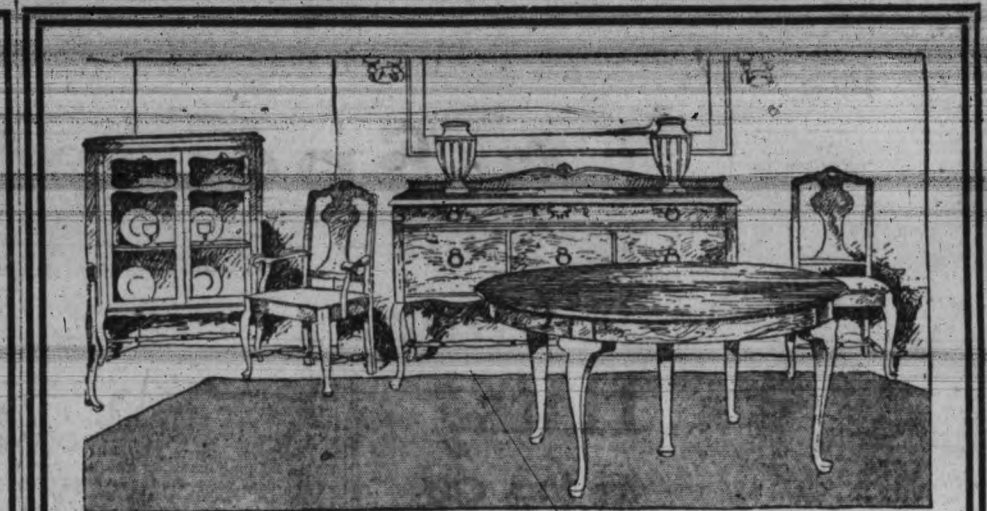
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**ENTITLED TO REFUND.**

Washington, Oct. 14.—British subjects who traveled at their own cost from the United States or other parts of the world to join their country's military forces during the war are entitled to a refund of their passage money, according to a notice received by the British Embassy.

**Horoscope**

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 14, 1920.  
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Saturn smiles on humanity to-day, according to astrology. The sun is in benefic aspect, while Neptune looks upon the Earth with doubtful frown.

It is not a favorable day for traveling or for making important decisions.

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Mann; Much Discussion

After many delays and considerable bickering the Board of School Trustees at their meeting last evening took a further step towards the building of the new school at King's Road and awarded the contract for building to Parfitt Bros. and for the plumbing to McDowell & Mann. The tender of Parfitt Bros. was for \$13,725, the lowest bidder having complied with the conditions calling for the accompaniment of a cheque with the tender. The bid of McDowell and Mann for the plumbing contract was \$2,652. This will bring the total to \$16,377 or about \$1,000 ahead of the estimated cost.

**"Illegal Procedure."**  
The secretary's announcement that tenders had been received for the revised plan submitted by Major Spurgin, the architect, elicited a storm of protest from Trustee Beckwith. "I protest against this procedure, we have not yet seen the revised plan. The matter of the new school at the last meeting was referred to the Building and Grounds Committee for their consideration, and Major Spurgin was instructed to draw a second plan with a view to reducing the cost of the proposed building. But there was absolutely nothing to warrant the calling for new tenders. I for one cannot agree with the procedure, which is illegal," he declared, with some heat.

Trustee Aitken: "We called for the tenders in a legal way. Where is it illegal?"

Trustee Beckwith: "I know that some of the tenders on the first structure would not entertain the idea of tendering again on the revised structure. What the Board decided at its last meeting was that if the architect had a new plan coming within our figures we would in due course call for tenders."

Trustee Aitken: "But you have already got the tenders."  
Trustee Beckwith: "We got them and disposed of them two weeks ago. You cannot call these new ones properly authorized."

Trustee Aitken replied with a motion that the plans be accepted and the tenders be opened. Mrs. Condy-Johnson, seconding the motion, Col. Winby, Municipal Inspector and E. Fairley, Superintendent of School Building, both expressed their approval of the revised plans submitted by the architect. The single recommendation that the play basement be left open as being more hygienic.

### Cost Settles It.

At this juncture Trustee Beckwith, having expressed his approval of the plans, moved an amendment that tenders be called for in the regular way, his motion being the signal for a renewal of the bickering. Trustee Mrs. Andrews, in seconding the amendment voiced her objection to the irregular way in which business is done outside this Board. Here Mrs. Spafford, who admitted the irregularity of the procedure, interpreted with the query as to the cost of again advertising for tenders and the secretary's pronouncement that it would probably cost \$200 caused an immediate flurry in the opposing ranks. Mrs. Andrews at once withdrawing her support of Trustee Beckwith's amendment.

Trustee "Fires Off."  
Trustee Mrs. Condy-Johnson, however, was not content to let the matter rest. "I want to fire off right now and to say that it would be wasting our time, energy and money to no good purpose to call for tenders when we already have them. We have met time after time and cut down the cost and we never get any farther ahead," she declared. "I believe in doing more work and not so much talk (laughter), and move that we proceed to open the tenders."

The tenders were then opened and considered. Parfitt Bros. receiving the building contract and McDowell and Mann the plumbing.

### ONLY WAR MEMORIAL

Col. Ross Napier Says It Should Be  
Determination of Nations to Aid  
Wrecks and Sufferers.

Canada's war memorial should not be of stone, but it should be the unremitting determination of the nation to leave no soldier's widow or orphan or any disabled wreck of the war with an unclad back or empty stomach, Col. R. Ross Napier, of Halifax, said at the re-union smoker of the C.W.V.A. last night. Brigadier-General Ross, G.O.C. presided.

"My favorite address in France ran something like this," said the General. "I regret that I am not able to make a speech like that at tonight's assembly."

Comrade Col. Lorne Ross addressed the veterans on matters of re-establishment, and complimented them on the splendid comradeship which exists among members of the C.W.V.A. President Stone, of Victoria, reported that there are now 102 branches of the C.W.V.A. in British Columbia, and more than 1,000 in Canada. There are now thirteen branches in London, Eng., under the presidency of General Byng.

Mr. Stone stated that a resolution had been passed by the executive to reinstate all members who were unfortunately enough to be out of standing, and any such members might apply to the secretary and be reinstated without payment of back dues. There was music, and among the entertainers were Rumsby, Ingledew, Tom Obee, McLean, Dumbarton, Potter and Chalmers.

The work and organization of the Navy League of Canada was explained to the meeting by Lieut. P. A. Rayner, secretary of the Local Branch of the League. He introduced Cadet John Francois, the lad who won the C.W.V.A. proficiency medal offered to the boy who made the highest marks at the summer camp in August.

Lieut. Rayner quoted from a touching letter which he had received from a boy who had attended the training camp and who, for some time, had wished to go to sea as a cadet. The lad is a son of a man who fought overseas and who, during disabilities received at that time has been unable to work. The boy stated in his letter that he already earned enough to save \$40 towards his outfit and other expenses incidental to going to sea.

Comrade Hart, who was in the chair, much impressed the boy's desire to be a sailor, made an eloquent appeal to the meeting for a sum sufficient to enable the lad to realize his ambition. A gentleman in the audience promptly came forward to Lieut. Rayner and offered to see the boy through.

It was announced during the meeting that Comrade Hart had been placed on the executive of the League, this being further evidence of the co-operation of the two organizations.

"Is this son you speak of modest?" "Mercy, no! He's just a little queer in his head."

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**Evaporated Peas**, pound, **27c**  
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**Windsor Salt**, three-pound sack for ..... **13c**  
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**National Dog Biscuit** at a package ..... **45c**  
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**Comb Honey**, each ..... **44c**  
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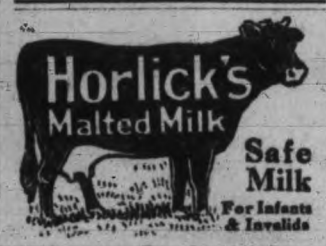
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A dance in Sooke Hall will be held to-morrow evening to celebrate the formation of the Sooke Boys' Naval Brigade. A jolly evening is promised for all who attend. One of the most amusing features planned will be the performance of Mr. Pickering, a

clever entertainer, well-known to the Naval Brigade lads. Actual enrollment of the Sooke boys in their local brigade will take place Saturday morning. Lieut. A. P. Rayner, secretary of the Victoria branch of the Navy League of Canada, will leave for Sooke to-morrow night accompanied by C. P. O. Owen to prepare the boys for enrollment on the following day.



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## SOCIAL PERSONAL

Dr. Tillman A. Briggs and his sister, Miss Briggs, entertained at a delightful little dance at their home on South Turner Street on Tuesday evening. The reception hall, two drawing-rooms and dining room were charmingly arranged with masses of yellow chrysanthemums and autumn-tinted Virginia creeper. Dancing took place in the dining room, and drawing-rooms. Miss Thain's orchestra furnishing the music. Mrs. Minna Briggs assisted her son and daughter in receiving the guests who included Mr. and Mrs. Harold Brooks, Mr. and Mrs. D. B. McConnan, Mrs. Alex. McDermott, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Briggs, Dr. and Mrs. John Briggs, Mrs. T. H. McCabe, Mrs. G. F. MacLean, Mrs. Brown, Angus, Angus, Angus, Irish Burton, Carl Tolmie, Dorothy Carlin, La Verne Garvin, Ilma Duck, Donie Cutler, Mabel Hickman, Lillian Michaelis, Gladys McDonald, Marnie Fraser and Messrs. Carl Gonnason, Tom McCabe, Gordon Burdick, Gordon Cameron, Irving McDermott, Bert Robbins, Penny, Frank Shepherd, Martin Strath, G. Strath, Brooke Stevenson, Dr. Moore and Dr. George Hall. A delicious buffet supper was served shortly before midnight.

Mrs. R. H. Pooley was the hostess at a most enjoyable little tea at her home yesterday afternoon. In honor of Lady Barnard, who will shortly leave for Europe. The reception rooms and tea tables were beautifully decorated with mauve Michaelis daisies and greenery, with delightful effect. The guests included Lady Barnard, Mrs. E. F. Prior, Mrs. Hermann Robertson, Mrs. J. M. Ross, Mrs. C. J. Prior, Mrs. C. J. Grant, Mrs. A. J. Gibson, Mrs. Johnston, Mrs. Adams and Miss Tiny Montell.

The Lady Alderson Chapter, I. O. D. E., will meet to-morrow afternoon at 2:45 at the residence of the regent, Mrs. E. S. Hassell. At the conclusion of the business tea will be served. The little social gathering being in the nature of a welcome home to the treasurer, Mrs. H. G. Garrett, after her trip to England, and a farewell to Mrs. Anderson, a member, who is shortly to return to her home in Hong Kong.

Miss Mildred Gibson and Miss Irene Warren, graduates of the Royal Jubilee Hospital, left yesterday for Kamloops, where they will join the staff of the Inland Hospital in the capacity of supervisors of departments.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Marx, 1116 Collierville Street, announce the engagement of their youngest daughter, Veronica Marie (Ronnie) to Mr. Litchfield Charles (Todd) Moseley of this city. The marriage will take place in the latter part of this month.

Mrs. Douglas Armour who, with her daughter, Miss Kitty Armour, has been spending several weeks in Victoria, will take up residence in Mrs. Heathcote's house during her stay in the South.

Mrs. Guy Rothwell with her little son, David, has returned to her home in Vancouver after being the guest of her parents, Mr. Justice and Mrs. Ebert, "Hopdene," Gorge Road, for some weeks.

Miss Eileen Graveley and Miss Cousins, who have been the guests of Miss Betty Gray, 1135 Catherine Street, for some weeks, left last evening for their home in Vancouver.

W. P. Beaven, of Alberni, was in the city yesterday.

Up-Island visitors to the City registered at the Strathcona Hotel include D. L. MacIver, of Duncan; Mrs.

## WHAT'S IN A NAME?

Facts About Your Name; Its History; Its Meaning; Whence It Was Derived; Its Significance; Your Lucky Day and Lucky Jewel.  
By Mildred Marshall.  
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VICTORIA.

The regal name Victoria has a fitting origin since it comes from the Latin, meaning to conquer. "Victus" was an early masculine name borne by two characters of the Tenth Persecution, and later by one of the greatest Ecclesiastical authorities, Laurus in Provence. Vicente Ferrier and Vincente de St. Paul added honors to the name; but it was Victor, the past participle, which gave rise to Victor in Italy.

The first Victoria was a Roman virgin martyred in the Decian Persecution, from whose name came the Italian "Victoria," borne by the admirable daughter of the Cologne from whom France and Germany seem to have received it, since after her time, Victoire and Victorine became common in France. From Germany direct came the name which is considered the national name.

Queen Victoria of England and the justly famous "Victorian age" gave rise to the many cities named "Victoria" which sprang up under the sweep of English rule. Queen Victoria of Spain added more claim to the reality of the name.

It is fitting that the ruby, king of precious stones, should be the jewel assigned as Victoria's own. Its inextinguishable flame, as suggested by its color, asserts that its inner fire cannot be quenched. It is said to preserve the mental and bodily health of its wearer, remove evil thoughts, control high temper, reconcile disputes and dissipate penitential infection. To dream of rubies signifies unexpected guests. Friday is Victoria's lucky day, and three her lucky number.

Wordworth translated from the Italian of Michael Angelo a charming poem to Victoria:

"Yes, hope may, with my strong desire keep pace,  
And be undeluded, unbetrayed;  
For if of affections none find grace  
In sight of Heaven, then wherefor hath God made  
The world which we inhabit? Better  
Love cannot have, than that in loving  
Glory to the Eternal Peace is paid.  
Who such divinity to thee imparts  
As halloweth and makes pure all gentle hearts."

## on Women at Home

Inglis, of Chelmsford, and H. Loosmore and E. Y. Bartlett, of Sarnia.

Mrs. F. W. Jones, "Edgehill," Rockland Avenue, entertained at an informal bridge tea at her home yesterday afternoon.

E. H. Speaker, of Baltimore, Md., and Mrs. Add. Mrs. S. R. Rouse, of Flavin, Pa., are staying at the Strathcona Hotel.

Lady Tupper, of Vancouver, and Mrs. W. J. Tupper, of Winnipeg, are staying at the Empress Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Bell and Miss Bell, of Saskatoon, Sask., are registered at the Strathcona Hotel.

Captain J. C. Stewart and Captain J. Goodwin, of Vancouver, are guests at the Strathcona Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Cale, of Great Falls, are arrivals at the Empress Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. James Dyer, of Melbourne, are staying at the Empress Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Godfrey Booth have arrived in the city from Seattle, and will remain here for a few weeks.

H. P. Blanchard, of San Francisco, is a guest at the Empress Hotel.

## THE UNKNOWN.

I never see an aeroplane  
Above me in the summer air  
But what I wonder, all in vain,  
Just what it must be like up there.

Yes, all in vain I watch it fly  
Above me on the earth below,  
Wondering just what it's like so high,  
And knowing that I'll never know.

I'll never know, I'll watch them swoop  
Above me often in the sky,  
But I shall never get up nerve  
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Serge Dresses Reduced to \$16.00, \$12.50, \$17.50, \$21.50

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## PRESIDENT OF WOMEN'S CANADIAN CLUB

**MRS. JENKINS AS HEAD**

Women's Canadian Club Has Now Membership of 749; New Officers Chosen

President, Mrs. Margaret Jenkins; first vice-president, Mrs. Hyndman; second vice-president, Mrs. Spofford; secretary, Mrs. James Fletcher; treasurer, Mrs. Brown; press-secretary, Mrs. H. P. Hodges.

The above officers were chosen at the annual meeting of the Women's Canadian Club held yesterday afternoon.

A Large Attendance.

There was a large attendance at the Empress Hotel, and it was announced there were 749 paid up members. After a ballot for the executive, fourteen being nominated, the following members were chosen: Mrs. Gallinger, Mrs. Taylor, Mrs. H. Pendray, Miss Sara Spencer, Mrs. Frank Andrews, Mrs. Bradshaw and Mrs. Gee.

Mrs. Jenkins appealed for support for the officers, and said that women having come into their own must make good. "We must seize every opportunity we can to improve ourselves as citizens. If there is a right way of doing anything, let us do it that way and set a good example to the men—for I assure you they need it," she stated.

She reminded the members that the club was commencing a new year. Success could not come by sitting with folded hands.

"And this year we must use a great part of our energies to the work of Canadianizing," she stated. There were not the problems in British Columbia that there were in some of the Prairie Provinces, but there was a very real foreign element here which should be Canadianized.

An interesting review of the work of the club during the year was presented by Mrs. Pendray, secretary of the club.

**Financial Position.**  
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## CLUB AGAIN CHOOSES MRS. JENKINS AS HEAD

Women's Canadian Club Has Now Membership of 749; New Officers Chosen

President, Mrs. Margaret Jenkins; first vice-president, Mrs. Hyndman; second vice-president, Mrs. Spofford; secretary, Mrs. James Fletcher; treasurer, Mrs. Brown; press-secretary, Mrs. H. P. Hodges.

The above officers were chosen at the annual meeting of the Women's Canadian Club held yesterday afternoon.

A Large Attendance.

There was a large attendance at the Empress Hotel, and it was announced there were 749 paid up members. After a ballot for the executive, fourteen being nominated, the following members were chosen: Mrs. Gallinger, Mrs. Taylor, Mrs. H. Pendray, Miss Sara Spencer, Mrs. Frank Andrews, Mrs. Bradshaw and Mrs. Gee.

Mrs. Jenkins appealed for support for the officers, and said that women having come into their own must make good. "We must seize every opportunity we can to improve ourselves as citizens. If there is a right way of doing anything, let us do it that way and set a good example to the men—for I assure you they need it," she stated.

She reminded the members that the club was commencing a new year. Success could not come by sitting with folded hands.

"And this year we must use a great part of our energies to the work of Canadianizing," she stated. There were not the problems in British Columbia that there were in some of the Prairie Provinces, but there was a very real foreign element here which should be Canadianized.

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### FIRE AT RIO.

Rio Janeiro, Oct. 14.—Fire yesterday afternoon destroyed several waterfront warehouses containing printing paper, cotton, cereals and other foodstuffs. The loss is estimated at more than \$1,000,000.

Elderly Lady—"Aren't you ashamed to be seen smoking cigarettes, little boy?" Little Boy—"I am, mum. But what's a man to do when he ain't got the price of a cigar?"

### MEXICAN GUNBOAT STRUCK.

San Francisco, Oct. 14.—The Mexican gunboat *Progreso* with 200 persons aboard was towed off a reef at Sacramento Point, Lower California, to-day by the steamer *San Jose*, the marine department of the Chamber of Commerce was advised to-day. All on the *Progreso* were reported safe.

## MANITOBA MAJOR TO HEAD VETERANS

Comrade Fawcett G. Taylor, K.C., M.P.P. For Portage La Prairie, Elected President

Comrade Major Fawcett G. Taylor, K.C., D.S.O., M.P.P. of Portage La Prairie, was unanimously elected president of the Army and Navy Veterans in Canada at their Dominion convention here this afternoon. Accorded an ovation on his election, the president-elect said that it would be difficult to fill the post in keeping with the high tradition set up by President W. J. Tupper, K.C., of Winnipeg.

Other officers elected this afternoon included: Honorary President, the Duke of Devonshire, Governor-General of Canada. First Vice-President, Comrade Major Crehan, of Vancouver.

The new president was born April 29, 1878, and educated at the public schools and the Collegiate Institute, Winnipeg. He was called to the Manitoba Bar in 1909, and in 1912 became King's Counsel. He has been an alderman of Portage La Prairie for three terms, and was also mayor for three years.

He was on active service with the Third Division of the Canadian Corps. He won his D.S.O. at Vimy Ridge.

## ACQUIT ROTARIAN OF SERIOUS CHARGE

But Learned Judge Orders His  
Golf Clubs Handed Over  
to Prosecutor

Uproarious laughter fairly rocked the Empress Hotel Grill Room at noon to-day when the Rotary Club staged one of the cleverest "rotary" trials in which P. C. Abell was charged with the heinous crime of failing to attend Rotary luncheons.

A learned judge—remarkably like J. P. Scott in size and shape—presided over the court, garbed in the usual wig and gown. In order that he might be given an opportunity to see how matters legal were handled in the West, W. J. Tupper, K.C., of Winnipeg, head of the Army and Navy Veterans, was allowed, as a special privilege to sit beside his lordship and observe the proceedings.

C. B. Deaville, relentless and merciless counsel for the prosecution, endeavored to prove the prisoner's delinquency, but though he called various witnesses to support him he failed utterly. Lester Patrick, the dignified and eloquent counsel for the defence, drew tears from the eyes of the court with his defence of the accused, brought evidence to show that he was one of the most regular of Rotarians, and charged the learned counsel for the prosecution with laughing at his plea—even as Nero had laughed while Rome burned.

Finally, after a few tense moments of consideration, the jury pronounced the prisoner innocent. The counsel for the prosecution, with tears in his eyes, expressed his regret, yes, his keen disappointment that reasonable and truthful men could stray so far from truth and reason and pleaded that, as the prisoner was penniless, he might receive as his legal fees the prisoner's golf clubs.

To this the learned judge readily agreed. The prisoner's golf clubs, he said, had never been brought up in the way they should go and as the prisoner was hopeless on the links his lordship was hopeful that in the hands of the learned counsel for the prosecution, however, they would learn at least the rudiments of the royal and ancient game.

### PIANO WELL TUNED.

Montreal, Oct. 14.—A piano of more than ordinary interest in the prohibition law offices here. It was being carried in a motor truck along the King Edward highway, which leads to the United States when revenue officers stopped the truck and found the instrument to contain thirty-one cases of Scotch whisky.

A Scottish farmer was proudly showing a visitor an antique clock, which had recently come into his possession. "Isn't that a grand clock?" he said. "I bought it at an auction sale in the town the other day, and got a real bargain." "Yes, but does it keep good time?" asked the visitor. "Ah, well, it's not good enough to catch a train or that sort of thing; but good enough to get up to yer breakfast with!"

Firmen's Dance.—A dance will be held at Headquarters Fire Hall commencing at a quarter to nine to-night. Hunt's Orchestra will supply the music.

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## BARGE COLLIDED WITH STEAMER AT SEA

Hurricane Cause of Mishap  
Which Is Responsible For  
Four Missing

Prince Rupert, B. C., Oct. 14.—Names of men missing from the James Carruthers are: James Mansfield, Newfoundland; Alex. Murray, Nova Scotia; Cathel Kere, Scotland; George Anderson, Norway.

The Carruthers collided with the United States steamer *Surveyor* in a hurricane at eleven o'clock Tuesday night off Green Island. The *Surveyor*, or a much larger vessel, was carrying 74 men on the way from Alaska. The Carruthers' prow tore a hole in the *Surveyor*, about eight feet above the waterline, which was soon patched. The impact put the Carruthers in a sinking condition.

## SPECIAL SCHOOL TAX ON CITIZENS

School Trustees Seek Same  
Rating Powers As  
Municipal Councils

Nelson, Oct. 14.—The provincial school trustees convention this morning solved its problem of providing more school revenue by asking the Government to levy a tax on all residents other than property owners and to work out the details with a committee of the association.

A proposal that school boards be given equal powers with municipal councils to levy taxes for school purposes was given much support and was referred to the special committee named to take up with the Government.

The principle of a lengthened normal term was endorsed. Inspector F. G. Calvert advocated the employment of supervisors by groups of rural schools. He also suggested a form of continuation school in lieu of the high schools, which the rural districts lack.

## MANITOBA GOVERNMENT DISPOSES OF BONDS

Winnipeg, Oct. 14.—Bonds to the amount of a million and a quarter dollars were sold by the Provincial Government yesterday and a high price was reached.

The Minnesota Trust and Loan Company and Wells Dickey Company of Minneapolis, took \$750,000 five-year six per cent. bonds at \$3.75, all payable in United States funds, and the Wood Gundy Company took \$500,000. These were three-year fives and the price realized was par and interest.

## TWO-HOUR STRIKE AS PROTEST IN ITALY

London, Oct. 14.—A two-hour nation-wide general strike in Italy, in protest against the arrest of political offenders opposed to the policy toward Russia, occurred to-day, says a Rome dispatch to The Exchange Telegraph.

## FOUR CANDIDATES IN NORTHEAST TORONTO

Toronto, Oct. 14.—Four candidates are promised for the by-election in Northeast Toronto for the Ontario Legislature to fill the seat vacated by Hon. Dr. H. J. Cody, former Minister of Education. James Higgins is a labor candidate; Major A. C. Lewis is the Conservative; John Galbraith yesterday filed his nomination papers as an independent candidate, and to-morrow night the Liberals will select a candidate, probably Major W. H. Kippen, D.S.O., M.C., with Bar.

## ERNEST HUTCHINSON, OF WINDSOR, DEAD

Montreal, Oct. 14.—Ernest G. Hutchinson of Windsor, Ont., past president of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association, died here yesterday following an operation. He was 52 years of age. Mrs. F. A. P. Chadwick, Victoria, B.C., is a daughter.

### ADVOCATE UNIFORM CHARGES.

Seattle, Oct. 14.—A system of uniform policy and charges in all Pacific Coast ports was advocated by John H. McCallum, San Francisco, president of the California Board of Harbor Commissioners, in an address to-day before the port authorities commission. The discussion, which followed, was led by F. I. Randall, assistant secretary of the Portland, Ore. commission public docks.

S. McClay, Vancouver, B.C., harbor commissioner, read a paper on "Foreign Trade Zone."

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Crepe de Chine Camisoles, in flesh, white and maize, trimmed with French rosebuds and cream filet lace; \$3.95.

Pink or White Camisoles of crepe de chine, are trimmed with Val. lace and insertion. Have inserts of embroidered organdies and rose bud trimmings; \$4.75.

White Satin Camisole, has pretty floral design and hemstitched top and shoulder straps; \$3.95.

There are many other dainty designs in georgette and satin, from \$5.50 to \$7.50.

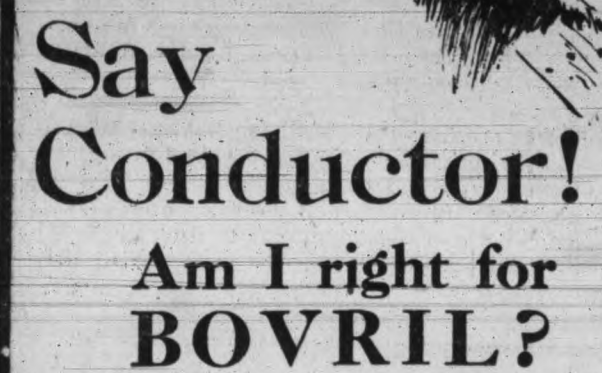
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# SPORTING NEWS

**Cricket Yachting**  
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## Says Dempsey Will Have No Chance With Georges

**Levin's Manager Claims Carpentier Will Knock Out World's Champion Just As Easily As He Did the "Battler"; Descamps Says Georges Was Sick When He Fought.**

Jersey City, N.J., Oct. 14.—"After this experience, I am convinced that Carpentier can knock out Dempsey almost as easily as he knocked out Bat," said Dan Morgan, manager of Levin, after the fight.

"He is such a natural fighter, with such a wonderful punch that he doesn't have to box. He can hit when he leads and he can hit when the other fellow leads. He is a tiger. I tell you those terrible punches to the jaw will knock out Jack Dempsey. He will knock him cold."

"I am very pleased," said Francois Descamps, manager of Georges Carpentier, after the fight.

Carpentier was really in bad condition. He caught a severe cold Saturday morning. He then weighed 174 pounds. He lost four pounds from that time until last night. He was in a very weak condition, otherwise I am sure he would have knocked out Levin in the second round. I cannot talk about a match with Jack Dempsey now. My contract with Charles B. Cochran, of England, prohibits my taking any action looking towards a match with Dempsey until after December 31.

Carpentier has made good, and the country's fight promoters will now probably be taking pen and pencil in hand to figure new fancy prices to charge for a fight between the French champion and Jack Dempsey for the world's heavyweight title.

**Georges Showed Everything.** In knocking out Battling Levin in the fourth round of a scheduled twelve-round fight Carpentier showed everything as advertised. Levin, who has gained his reputation chiefly as a "stayer," but he was through insofar as his going with Carpentier was concerned within five minutes after the bell rang.

The Frenchman showed the speed and punching power that his quick victory over Levin in England gave him the reputation of possessing. Beckett was knocked cold with the first minute of the first round. Levin wobbled. Any kind of a punch would have finished him. Carpentier was constantly dashing in, playing for an opening through which he could win his fight.

Not only did Carpentier do all this, but he did it with the ease of a professional. He was like the silk bathrobe, the Adonis-like form and face of the Frenchman, and the gesticulating Francois Descamps, his manager.

**Just Breezed Through.** Levin was regarded as a "trial horse" for Carpentier and the Frenchman simply breezed through his trial. He has come in for considerable praise as a result of his extensive movie acting and absence from the ring, but from the thumping Levin look, and the effect the thumping appeared to have, it might also be judged that Carpentier has considerable fight in his system.

Carpentier does not speak enough English to make a statement. He merely smiled and waved his visitors towards Descamps when asked to say something. His hair was still plastered down and glistening like a glazed kid. He didn't have as much as a cracked lip, and he was still fronting the same smile that he flashed in a dress suit in the movies.

**Always Paid Two For One.** The Frenchman was attacking all the time, high on his toes, and whenever he was handed a punch he considered that an invitation to rush in and take over at least two more. He shapes up with his left arm held high, his left hand trembling and his right held high near his chest. The best punch he showed was that overhand chop with the right, which traveled about eighteen inches and hit like the kick of a mule. He worked his left to the body several times during the fight, but it really did not go long enough to show what the Frenchman can do against a clever fighter.

Carpentier made a mark of Levin's jaw, and he played for that

## Basketballers Now Getting Into Shape For Banner Season

Basketball is again coming to the fore. The players are dispersing themselves in the gymnasium and are measuring the baskets with their shooting arms. The coming season promises to surpass the standard set last year. The Sunday School League will get underway within the near future, and it is expected that another attempt will be made to form city senior, intermediate and junior leagues.

The Sunday School League plans to hold its annual meeting one week from to-night at the Y. M. C. A. Officers for the coming year will be elected and plans will be formulated to make this the banner year in the history of the league. The president of the league asks that all members of schools interested in basketball attend the meeting and assist in the deliberations.

**Two Ladies' Teams Enter.** Two ladies' teams have announced their intention of entering again. They are the St. Andrew's and First Presbyterians. Other teams are expected to announce their entry very shortly.

**Three Leagues.** As usual there will be three leagues—the senior, intermediate and ladies. It is expected that practically

all last year's teams will be in the field, while the St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church has decided to turn out a senior team. The calibre of all the teams has been greatly improved, and the players will start rounding out in form soon, so that the first games may be as hot and fast as the finishing ones.

Belmonts announce that they will be stronger than last year, and the First Presbyterians will have several new faces on their line-up. St. Mary's are bolstering their team, and the Crusaders, last year's champions, are due for a bump on the nose if they do not show better speed than they did last season. The Congos are scouting for more ball-tossers.

**Motor Boat Race Is Attracting Interest.** A meeting of the J.B.A.A. rugby players will be held this evening at the Bays club house at 8 o'clock.

**Many Cruisers Expected In Feature Yachting Event on Thanksgiving Day.** To-morrow will be the last day that entries for the handicap motorboat race to be held by the Royal Victoria Yacht Club at Cadboro Bay on Thanksgiving Day, will be received. R. M. Stewart, Room 101, Pemberton Building, announces that no entries will be received after 5 o'clock to-morrow afternoon. The entries so far received are: Sully, Venture, Ikema, La Broquerie, Chicadee, Waukesha, Sheila and Edmarco. Many other cruisers are expected to enter in the race.

Mr. Stewart states that he will be glad to give any information as to the conditions of the race to any boat owners who call or phone his office. The race will start at 10 o'clock, and the sailing dinghy course, which will make approximately nine miles, and is open to all the club boats of the cruiser class.

**The Handicapper.** Ben Temple, official measurer of the race, will act as handicapper, starter and time-keeper.

Members of the club and their friends are invited to witness the race, which will start promptly at 10 o'clock. A splendid view of the race will be obtained from the club grounds.

**Football Association Meeting To-night to Arrange Special Attractions.** In order to provide some sporting fixtures for Thanksgiving Day, the Victoria and District Football Association will hold a special meeting this evening at 7.30 o'clock in the G. W. N. A. rooms. It is intended to arrange exhibition games and all members of the Association are requested to attend so that the satisfactory arrangements may be completed.

With the lacrosse battle for the Mann Cup between Victoria and New Westminster a very doubtful possibility, the footballers have decided to stage some entertainment for the fans. The lacrosse game would attract several thousand spectators, and the footballers are anxious to make the most of the holiday and draw a big gate.

**To Decide Form of Game.** It is not known what form the exhibition games will take. In the past matches arranged between Native Sons and Old Country soccer players have proved very interesting and splendid drawing cards.

The soccer fans will relish the initiative of the officials of the Association in providing games for the holiday.

**Another Job Found For Fast Man O' War.** Cincinnati, Oct. 14.—Matt Winn, general manager of the Kentucky Jockey Club, last night wired Sam Riddle and Willis Sharpe Kilmer, an offer of \$50,000 for a race between Man O' War and Exterminator, the distance to be one and one-half miles.

**Goodyear Manager Injured In Motor Smash At Vancouver.** Vancouver, Oct. 14.—Thrown from an automobile when a car crashed into it yesterday evening on Homer Street, H. S. Garbige, manager of the Goodyear Tire & Rubber Company, is in a serious condition at St. Paul's Hospital from concussion.

Mr. Garbige and H. A. Hoesegood, another employee of the company, had just started away from the office in a light roadster when they were struck by a heavy car driven by C. E. Pirie. Mr. Garbige was thrown completely out of the machine, crashing head first to the pavement.

**Bandit Bassoff Is Sentenced To Death.** Macleod, Alta., Oct. 14.—Tom Bassoff, the train bandit who shot down a policeman in the Crow's Nest, was sentenced yesterday to hang on December 22.

Little evidence in addition to that given by witnesses at the preliminary trial was adduced from Crown witnesses, who one after another, gave their stories as eyewitnesses of the shooting.

The most important evidence of the morning session was that of A. Robertson, the justice of the peace who joined in the shooting after the bandits came out of the cafe. At witnesses swore to seeing Bassoff fire the shot which killed Constable Bailey.

**Was Unbalanced Mentally, Court Finds In Prosecution.** In the city police court yesterday afternoon Magistrate Jay dismissed a charge against Francis May Barker of having permitted an illegal operation, not calling on R. C. Lowe to make a defence.

Magistrate Jay held that all the evidence was but repetition of statements the accused was alleged to have made to the various witnesses, and as all agreed that she was in a mentally distressed condition at the time of making the statements, and the admissions themselves were widely varying in important matters, there was little reliance to be placed upon them unless supported by strong corroboration from other sources.

Magistrate Jay expressed deep

## Cleveland Spent a Wild Night Honoring Players

**Midnight Hour Approached But None of 50,000 Fans Gathered at Demonstration Wanted to Go Home; Players Kissed Babies Young and Old; No One Injured in the Mix-up.**

Cleveland, Oct. 14.—Cleveland last night paid tribute to its world champion baseball team in a public demonstration in Wade Park, attended by approximately 50,000 persons. So great was the enthusiasm of the baseball crazy mob that it finally became uncontrollable and broke through ropes marking off the stage where city officials and Cleveland American League baseball players sat, smashed chairs, pushed several persons into a small lake, and vocally and physically expressed its joy over the winning of the world's series.

Special details of police were powerless, and not until long after the lights had been put out and the ball players had left, did the celebration end.

**Babylonian Noise.** Thousands were unable to get near the scene of the demonstration. The streets were blocked with thousands of automobiles and a great mass of people anxious for at least one look at the score of athletes who brought this city its first baseball championship. Down in a little hollow in the park was the stage where seats were reserved for Mayor W. S. Fitzgerald, the players and others who took part in the programme.

**Royals' Visit Is Still in Doubt.** Local Officials Receive No Word From Westminster Over Mann Cup Game.

Up till noon to-day Ed Christopher, President of the Victoria Lacrosse Club, was still in the dark as to what the intentions of the New Westminster Club were in regard to the Thanksgiving Day game for the Mann Cup. It is not known whether or not the Royals intend to come over and the Victoria team is at a loss as to whether to go ahead with their preparations or to suspend.

On Tuesday the Royals wanted the Mann Cup placed in the hands of Mayor Porter, and if this was done they signified their willingness of coming across on the midnight boat on Sunday. The local officials, however, refused to place the cup in the custody of the Mayor and informed the Royals so. No reply has been received as to whether the Westminster team is prepared to come over and play for the cup and if they win to furnish the required bondsmen to take over the silverware.

**In Awkward Position.** Mr. Christopher stated this morning that the tardiness of the Royals in replying to telegrams had placed the local club in an awkward position, as they did not know whether to proceed with the arranging for grounds and the selection of a team. The Royals may pay a surprise visit thinking that everything is satisfactory.

**Home Had No Cheers.** Squads of police ranged through the mass of people trying to get it to break up, but without avail. Finally the ballplayers were slipped out at the back of the stage, the lights were turned out, and lusty lunged men with megaphones begged everyone to go home. Then the crowd slowly, but noisily, started for home, but it was midnight before the park had been cleared.

The Cleveland players voted to give Walter Mills and Joe Sewell, recruits who joined the club late in the season, full shares in the split of the world series receipts. One thousand dollars each also was given to Secretary Walter Nichols, of the Cleveland Club; Scout Jack McAllister, Trainer Percy Smallwood, Groundkeeper Frank Van Dellen, and Miss Edna Jamison, chief clerk of the club. Mrs. Ray Chapman, widow of the player killed by a ball thrown by Pitcher Carl Mays, of the Yanks, already had been slated a full share. Yesterday's action of the players reduced the share of each to \$2,500.33.

**Thomson Back at Work After Making Records.** Hanover, N. H., Oct. 14.—Earl J. Thomson, the Canadian captain of the Dartmouth track team and holder of the world's records in the 120-yard and 110-metre hurdles, returned to his studies yesterday. Thomson, who represented Canada at the Olympic games at Antwerp last summer, was welcomed with a parade by the entire undergraduate body of Dartmouth.

**Standings of the Clubs.**

Club	W	L	Pct.
Vernon	108	87	.549
Los Angeles	101	91	.524
San Francisco	102	92	.528
Seattle	98	90	.521
Salt Lake	92	91	.502
Oakland	84	100	.454
Portland	80	98	.449
Sacramento	85	109	.431

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Seattle	7 15 0
San Francisco	8 15 4
Batteries—Geary, Schorr, Gardner and Adams; Couch, Love, Lewis and Arnew.	

**To Preach in Nanaimo.** Nanaimo, B.C., Oct. 14.—Arrangements were completed Tuesday evening by the session of St. Andrew's Church for the special services to be conducted by Rev. F. A. Robinson, of Toronto, from October 31 to November 11. Dr. Robinson, who will be assisted by Mrs. C. B. Grunert, spent several weeks with the St. Andrew's people a year ago.

**To Take Charge.** Port Alberni.—Miss Olive Garrard, of Tofino, has arrived in Alberni from Tofino to take charge of the Government Telegraph office in Alberni during the absence of Mrs. P. H. Haslam, who has been granted a six weeks' holiday. Mrs. Haslam will spend her holiday in the Coast cities.

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Do you love a Farnum fight? Did you see his screen battles in "When a Man Sees Red," "The Rainbow Trail," and other big pictures? The fights in those productions sink into insignificance when compared with the battles in his new de luxe production, "The Man Hunter," which will be shown at the Columbia Theatre to-day. For Mr. Farnum shows you not only one fight, but three, in this picture, and it is hard to say which one he does best.

You will be interested in each of these fights because each has a big powerful reason behind it. Every one of them thrills, but in two Mr. Farnum comes off second best, because in the first the police get him, and in the second the officers of a ship arrest him and charge him up in the hold of the vessel. But the third battle is the one you will most heartily applaud, for on a desert island, with only a pretty, wealthy girl as a witness, the villain meets his just end. Besides being a stirring story,

the play has exceptional photography; exquisite scenes being shown on both land and sea.

VARIETY

Cecil Raleigh, Penny Hamilton and Arthur Collins, collaborators in writing and producing "The Best of Luck," pictured with an all-star cast of Screen Classics, Inc., and now showing at the Variety Theatre, famous the world over for brilliant and elaborately produced melodrama, Hamilton and Raleigh were co-authors of a number of well-known melodramas besides "The Best of Luck." Among them were "The Sins of Society," "The Whip," and "Sealed Orders." Each author has to his credit a number of original dramas produced at Drury Lane, starting as an actor. Hamilton invaded the writing field. His first play was produced at the Prince's Theatre in Manchester. In all, he has written six plays, among them "The White Heather" and "The Great Ruby." He adapted five plays, besides collaborating in writing twelve.

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ROYAL VICTORIA

It was rather a shock to realize that the smiling gentleman to whom the interviewers were being presented was "Blizzard."

Not that Lon Chaney is handsome. Even his press agent wouldn't accuse him of that. But he has one of those frank, on-the-level countenances that attract children on the street cars to him and lead strange women to unburden their life stories in his ears. Greater compliment hath no man.

Chaney plays "Blizzard" in Goldwyn's production of "The Penalty," by Gouverneur Morris, which will be the attraction at the Royal Victoria Theatre again to-day. Right at the start he revealed something that was a big surprise.

"You might not think," he said, "that I used to be a custard-pie comedian, and that I broke into slap stick through grand opera."

"In Colorado Springs, where I was born and raised, there used to be a theatre near our house. It happened that I knew one of the property men, and after a big argument with my folks, I hired myself out as a stage hand for twenty-five cents a night. I was eleven years old then."

"I worked like a trooper, and after about six months I was rewarded by having my pay increased to fifty cents. Moreover, I received the title of 'assistant property man.' Then came the chance to branch out on my own."

"My brother and I hired another theatre and became full-fledged producers of Gilbert and Sullivan operas. It wasn't an enormous success and we soon sold the outfit to a man named Holmes. I went along with him. My job was sort of combined property man and assistant producer. But one night our comedian took sick. He had no understudy, and we were desperate. Holmes suggested that I go on and take the sick man's place."

"Luckily, part of my costume was a baggy pair of trousers. The audience couldn't see my knees shaking. But I must have gotten away with it, because when the regular comedian recovered, he had another job awaiting him, and at Holmes' suggestion I continued as the funny man of the company."

"Later I drifted into musical comedy, still as a comedian, and was with Kolb and Dill for several seasons. At Christie, the motion-picture comedy man, saw me in one of these musical shows and asked me how I'd like to go into the films."

"It's a funny thing," Chaney's tone was almost apologetic, "but I was never happy in my work when I was playing for laughs as a comedian. And I have never had a better time in my life than while playing 'Blizzard' in 'The Penalty.' Does it indicate, do you think, that I have a naturally mean disposition?"

DOMINION

Many charming costumes which will be relished by society women, are worn by Elsie Ferguson, the beautiful Paramount picture star, in her latest starring vehicle, "Lady Rose's Daughter," which will be shown at the Dominion Theatre all week.

In the development of the story which was written by Mrs. Humphry Ward, the celebrated novelist, Miss Ferguson plays three parts: the first of Lady Rose, the second that of Lady Rose, the daughter of the foregoing, in the period of 1890, and the third that of Julie Le Breton, the illegitimate daughter of Lady Rose, in the period of the present day.

The costumes worn by Miss Ferguson in these portrayals are unusually rich and attractive and each is typical of the style of the period they represent. Miss Ferguson's beautiful gowns long have been a striking feature of the photoplays in which she has been seen and in her latest starring vehicle the finest creations of noted modistes are conspicuously in evidence.

Harold Lloyd, that young comedian, who has now attained the enviable positions among the foremost of screen comedians is presented in his latest comedy special "High and Dizzy." As evidenced by the laughter which nightly prevails at the Dominion, "High and Dizzy" is a big comedy hit, full of thrills and novel comedy.

ROMANO

Marion Davies, the beautiful motion picture star, whose latest film, "The Cinema Murder," is being shown this week at the Romano Theatre, is apparently out for the versatility record. Since heading her own screen organization, Miss Davies has appeared in such widely divergent roles as a Salvation Army girl, a roaming gypsy maid, a coy debutante, a grief-racked woman, and a detective. Aside from her accomplishments as an actress, the star is a devotee of tennis, riding, and skating. Her latest fad is aviation, and she has been taking lessons in flying on Staten Island, where her own airplane is housed in a big hangar.

Miss Davies' latest picture is a screen adaptation of E. Phillips Oppenheim's novel, and provides the talented player with a striking vehicle in which mystery and romance play prominent parts. She is cast as an actress of great promise who nearly comes under the dominance of an unscrupulous financier, but is saved by her love for a young playwright who is himself under suspicion for the supposed murder of his cousin. Nigel Barrie is the leading man and heads a good supporting company. The picture is released as a Paramount-Artcraft, and was directed by George D. Baker.

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Juliette Dika, the Franco-American comedienne, whose act was chiefly one of singing, was much appreciated by the applause that was given her.

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Faber and McDowan, in their comedy "The Compass," have a very good exchange of talk, besides a little acting, which all goes to make the Pantages bill so full of fun.

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**EIGHTY BUILDINGS TO BE REMOVED**

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About eighty houses are to be demolished by civic mandate, it was announced at the City Hall to-day.

Some seventy houses were slated for destruction by the civic health authorities, but the Mayor and aldermen while making a tour of the city recently to look over these buildings found others which they considered should be placed in the same category. The special committee of the Council which has the matter in hand will report to the Council Monday night. Mayor Porter, who headed the committee, stated to-day that it would recommend the destruction of some eighty buildings standing in various sections of the city. The adoption of this report by the Council seems assured.

All persons whose buildings are condemned are to be given an opportunity of repairing them so that they may escape being razed. Only

A limited time will be allowed for this purpose, and it is anticipated that few owners will make any move in the matter.

"The condition of some of the buildings passes belief," the Mayor asserted to-day. "It is disgusting. They have been vandalized by people who have stolen the plumbing, even the doors and door knobs, and are in a most insanitary state. There is no doubt they should be pulled down."

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## ACCEPT TENDERS TO REMOVE HOUSE

Correlation of Work of School Medical Officer, Dentist and Nurses

The receipt of tenders for the removal of the house now standing on the site of the new King's Road School was the signal for a discussion which at times became heated in the course of the meeting of the Board of School Trustees last evening. Thomas Watson was finally awarded the contract, his tender being for \$695.

Trustee Beckwith was of the opinion that it would be possible to avoid tearing down the house, and that by jacking it up and removing it to one corner of the school lot, the property could be sold for a greater price than by demolishing it. He moved that the school trustees with the Municipal Inspector and the Superintendent of School Buildings meet at the school grounds and look over the property before any definite stand was taken. Mrs. Spofford supported Trustee Beckwith, taking the stand that if it were possible to raise more than \$600 it was the duty of the Board to do so.

Trustee Mrs. Coady-Johnson pointed out that the Building and Grounds Committee had visited the site many times, and considered it inadvisable to have any building other than the school on the lot. Municipal Inspector Winsby also raised objection to the presence of a building which would mean the sacrifice of light to at least one class-room.

"Cluttering up" Site.

Trustee Mrs. Andrews: "Provision of suitable accommodation at this school has been a burden on my heart for many years. And now we have one of the finest lots in the city, one which will afford splendid playground accommodation and an ideal site, and I should object to any cluttering up of the site with an old building. If any friends of other trustees have been tendering privately for this building, then such an action was entirely unauthorized by this Board."

Trustee Beckwith: "This is a matter for the whole Board, and the Building and Grounds Committee has no more authority than any one trustee. I have been told that the plumbing alone is worth more than we are being offered for the house."

Would Rather Fight.

Mrs. Andrews: "I am sure that she would rather fight than have the original plans spoiled by leaving the house on the grounds. I guess there would be no trouble about that," ejaculated Trustee Beckwith, a remark which aroused Trustee Mrs. Andrews' indignant protest.

The repetition of Trustee Beckwith's motion to defer action until at least \$2,000 could be obtained for the house if it were removed carefully elicited the observation of Trustee Aitken: "That is merely blind; a camouflage!"

Trustee Beckwith: "I protest against that remark and I am sure, Mr. Chairman, that you sit there and allow such a remark."

After further comments, soot voice, by Trustee Aitken, the chairman put the amendment to the meeting. The vote was a tie, Chairman Riddell giving the casting vote by which the amendment to defer action until the Board had looked over the property was lost. The contract for tearing down and removing the building was then awarded to Mr. Watson.

**School Health Work.**

A correlation of the work of the school doctor, dentist and nurses was suggested by Municipal Inspector Winsby in his report, and received the warm support of the Board. Under the present system, Dr. Wasson had been coming and going at will, visiting the school when his private practice permitted. In extension, Col. Winsby stated that Dr. Wasson had been appointed school doctor some years ago at a salary of \$100 per month at a time when the school attendance was only half as large as to-day.

Under the new system now being adopted the proposal is to have both nurses act under the direct instructions of Dr. Wasson, thus preventing the overlapping and lack of direction which have been experienced under the old system. They will report to him monthly, and Dr. Wasson in turn will report regularly to the School Board through Col. Winsby.

## LIBERTY LEAGUE

### MEETING AT SIDNEY

Victoria Speakers Explain Stand Taken Against Prohibition

The public meeting held in Bequest Hall, Sidney, under the auspices of the Liberty League last evening, was poorly attended, partly owing to the inclemency of the weather and partly due to the general apathy of the electorate on all public questions.

W. H. Dawes, who occupied the chair, in a short but pointed address, explained his idea of some of the fundamental features of the Prohibition Act.

He called on F. J. O'Reilly, who, in a little speech, read from the Hon. Walter Scott's recent interview in reply to the allegations of Hon. George Langley, so often quoted by the Prohibitionists to back up their arguments against Government control.

Against "Fanatical" Element.

B. J. Perry stated that the Liberty League was not solely organized to fight prohibition, but purposes to keep up the attack against any unreasonable efforts on the part of the fanatical element working to abolish or curtail the liberty of the subject.

Mr. Cross.

C. T. Cross next addressed the electors, and pointed out that statistics showed more people were in the asylums from religious mania than from the effects of alcohol. He suggested that the Liberty League was

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not out to abolish religion on that score. The bootlegger and blind pigger came in for a round of censure from this speaker, who pointed out the enormous cost to the Province to enforce the Act.

The vote of thanks was moved by James Critchley, seconded by Mr. Geddard.

## DISCUSS ALLEGED SANITATION FAULTS

Board of School Trustees Hear Complaints From Ratepayers

Two complaints as to alleged insanitary conditions in the local schools created considerable discussion at the meeting of the Board of School Trustees last evening. A letter from a ratepayer calling attention to the conditions extant at the Boys' Central School, lavatories brought forth a report from Trustee Dr. Raynor to the effect that he had recently visited the school in question and found conditions which while in need of remedy were not a menace to the health of the children. "It is an old system of plumbing, and to change it would necessitate the tearing out of the whole plant and the installation of new at a probable cost of \$1,000. If the ratepayers would be willing to stand the cost we should certainly recommend its being done," he observed.

**New Annex Faulty.**

Trustee Mrs. Andrews reported that at the recent meeting of the Local Council of Women a mother had drawn attention to the disgraceful conditions at the new annex at the Sir James Douglas School, where the drinking fountain was situated in the lavatories.

Trustee Mrs. Coady-Johnson, as a member of the Building and Grounds Committee, voiced her pleasure at the interest taken by the ratepayers in conditions in the schools. "But I think it is unfair that the new Board should be called upon for conditions which were effected under the regime of last year's Board. They built the new annex and approved the plan. The present Building and Grounds Committee is seeing to it that in any new schools to be built the drinking fountains will be outside and quite separate from the lavatories. Out of respect to the ratepayers we feel we cannot tear out this new plumbing, which cost thousands. Even in the new High School, which is being erected at Sidney, the drinking fountains are in the same room as the lavatories."

Trustee Mrs. Spofford observed that the Board was not unmindful of improvements in the lavatories at the schools but the only lasting remedy would be to pull down the existing plant in the Boys' Central School and rebuild—a step for which no money was at present available.

Trustee Beckwith's motion that the complaints be referred to the Building and Grounds Committee for report was passed unanimously.

## Report of Committee.

The report of the Building and Grounds Committee included the following items:

The conversion of the heating plant at the Sir James Douglas School from an oil burner to a wood and coal burner has been completed, and although some delay was experienced in getting part of the material, we are satisfied from results already obtained that the heating troubles of that school have been eliminated.

"Some grading work has been done at the Victoria Y. grounds to improve the playground area there. Recent bad weather has stopped this work for the last few days, but we hope to continue as soon as weather conditions permit."

"Owing to the non-delivery of the drinking fountains for the Boys' and Girls' Central School, the contractor has been unable to complete his work, but will complete the same as soon as the necessary supplies are at hand."

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Dainty Washable Rugs for bedroom or bathroom use; sizes 18 x 36 to 6 x 9 feet. At, each, \$1.75 up to \$25.00. All at last season's prices.

Nairn's Heavy Printed Cork Linoleum; all made 2 yards wide. Square yard ..... **\$1.75**

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Printed Cork Linoleum, 4 yards wide; in handsome title designs. Square yard ..... **\$1.75**

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Oil Cloth Rugs; sizes 4.6 x 7.6, 6 x 9, 7.6 x 10.6. Each ..... **\$5.85, \$10.50 and ..... \$13.75**

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Dominion-Made Linoleum Rugs, 6 x 9 to 9 x 12 feet. Prices ..... **\$13.50 to ..... \$27.50**

**Continuing the Sale of "Togo" and "Butler" English Tweed Coats**

Regular \$75.00 Coats reduced to ..... **\$49.50**

Regular \$97.50 Coats reduced to ..... **\$69.50**

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"Venus," in every shade dyed. Hole-proof, in 480 quality—the best. Novelty Pin Stripe Silk Hose; all standard qualities. All regular \$2.50 and up.

## SKIN TROUBLES SOOTHED WITH CUTICURA

At the Boys' Central School, which we understand from the boiler inspector will have to be re-built during the Christmas vacation.

"Your committee find that the conditions at present governing the use of the Pemberton Gymnasium are unsatisfactory and would recommend that an endeavor be made to get the greatest use possible of this gymnasium by arranging a schedule to provide for its use by both the boys and girls of the Central School under proper supervision."

"We recommend that the City Council be requested to provide proper drainage and fill in open drains in streets adjoining Fernwood School site."

"We recommend that further grading work be authorized at Burnside School more particularly on the basketball area, estimated cost \$200."

## THINK PRESTON PROPOSALS FAIR

Aldermen Not Prepared to Employ Only Union Labor on New Bridge

Adoption by the City Council of City Engineer F. M. Preston's proposals regarding the employment of labor in Johnston Street Bridge work is generally forecasted at the City Hall. A majority of the aldermen, it is understood, consider Mr. Preston's suggestions, as published in these columns yesterday, very fair and reasonable, and they favor little or no change in them. It is declared unlikely that the Council will agree to employ only union labor in the bridge construction, as suggested by the Soldier-Labor Council last night. The City Council considers that it has no right to make a distinction between union and non-union workers, it is stated, though it favors paying union wages.

"I think myself that the Engineer's proposals are most reasonable," Mayor Porter stated to-day when asked how he regarded Mr. Preston's suggestions. "I cannot see how they can be changed for the better."

The Comrades of the Great War have endorsed the Engineer's proposals in the following resolution:

"Whereas, at the present time, it is becoming increasingly difficult to place Veterans in continuous remunerative employment in the City of Victoria, and

"Whereas the various associations of ex-service men in this city have, on numerous occasions, gone on record favoring fair wage clauses, working conditions and an eight-hour day in accordance with trade union conditions, with the proviso that a percentage of returned men be given employment, as some provision towards re-establishment, and

"Whereas certain recommendations have been embodied in the official report of the City Engineer, as printed in the current issue of the daily papers, favoring trade union principles regarding wages, working conditions and employment of British subjects exclusively.

Therefore be it resolved that the Comrades of the Great War, Victoria Branch, in meeting assembled, heartily endorse the recommendation submitted on the Johnson Street improvement contracts, as tending to provide much needed employment for veterans and civilians with conditions that will guarantee a sorely needed standard of living for the workers."

Further be it resolved that copies of this resolution be forwarded to the City Engineer, Victoria City Council, ex-Service and Labor Council, Board of Trade and ex-Service Organizations.

The Soldier-Labor Council is in accord with Mr. Preston's proposals, but is urging the Council go further and decide to employ only union workers.

**HIS LIMIT.**

"You refuse to buy me a new costume? (Sob.) Yet you used to say you'd go through fire and water for me!"

"But, my darling! I never said I'd go through the bankruptcy court!"—Passing Show.

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